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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2006 in the captioned application. A response is due April 5, 2007 by virtue of the attached petition for extension of time and payment of the requisite fees. Please charge all fees for filing this response to Deposit Account 50-3840. Please amend the application as set forth below.